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In re Application of

Byong Kee KIM et al.

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/747,655

Filed: December 30, 2003

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Response after Final Rejection

Confirmation No.: 1581

Group Art Unit: 1742

Examiner: NGOCLAN THI MAI

For: PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING NANO PHASE TAC-TRANSITION METAL BASED COMPLEX POWDER.

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment after Final Rejection in the above identified application.

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of March 7, 2006 reconsideration is respectfully requested
in view of the amendment of claim 1.